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STOCKPILE ANNOUNCES COBALT BOA SALES FOR MAY 2004

Fort Belvoir, VA - The Defense National Stockpile Center today announced the aggregate May 2004 cobalt sales results under the Basic Ordering Agreement, DLA-COBALT-001.

During May, DNSC BOA sales totaled 86,000 pounds of cobalt for an overall value of approximately \$2 million.

The companies that were awarded material are:

Ameropa AG, Binningen Switzerland Darton Commodities, Guildford UK Glencore Ltd. Stamford, CT OMG Americas, Inc. Cleveland, OH Phoenixx International, Carnegie, PA Voss Metals Co., Rockford, IL

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